



**RESPONSE SUBMITTED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1700**

**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. 440446/PALL

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of:

BORMANN et al.

Application No. 09/806,322

Art Unit: 1723

Examiner: Krishnan Menon

Filed: June 5, 2001

For: **BIOLOGICAL FLUID FILTER AND  
SYSTEM**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed June 10, 2003, Applicants petition for a one month extension of time, extending the date for response to and including October 10, 2003, submit the requisite fee therefor, and request that the following remarks be considered.